EIGHTH

Annual Rally

OF

THE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF TORONTO AND VICINITY

MASSEY MUSIC HALL

New Year's Morning, Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1902

J. J. MACLAREN, K.C., D.C.L., Chairman. W. J. Hanna, Secretary.

ORDER OF SERVICE

10.00 — SELECTIONS - - - - - - - - - - - - Orchestra

10.30 — NATIONAL ANTHEM - - - - - - - "God Save the King."

SCRIPTURE READING.

HYMN NO. 1 - - - - - - - "How Firm a Foundation"

PRAYER - - - - - - - - - - Rev. Dr. Smith

SCRIPTURE READING.

HYMN NO. 2 - - - - - - - - - - "Jesus Saves"

SCRIPTURE READING

HYMN NO. 3 - - - - - - - "When Times of Temptation"

SCRIPTURE READING

HYMN NO. 4 - - - "I know not why God's Wondrous Grace"

10.55 — CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS

11.00 — MALE QUARTETTE - - - - - - "'Tis I; Be not Afraid"

Messrs. J. Leslie Rook, Jas. Simpson, R. M. Yeomans, G. A. C. Phillips

11.10 — OFFERING - In aid of "Children's Department," Fred Victor Mission

MUSIC BY ORCHESTRA DURING INTERVAL

11.20 — PATRIOTIC SONG NO. 5 - - - - - "Greeting to the King"

11.25 — SOLO - - - - - - - "I heard the voice of Jesus say"

Miss Eva Wenman

11.30 — ADDRESS - - - - - - - - - Rev. Dr. Cleaver

11.50 — HYMN NO. 6 - - - - - - - - "O God of Bethel"

11.55 — FLUTE SOLO - "Rosseau's Dream" - - - - *Richardson*

Mr. J. Churchill Arlidge

12.00 — HYMN NO. 7 - - - - - - - - "God be with you"

DOXOLOGY AND BENEDICTION

R. RICHARDSON, Conductor. CHAS. E. FGGETT, Organist

MISS WHITACRE, Pianist. MISS JENNIE E. WILLIAMS, Accompanist

The Piano used on this occasion is kindly loaned by Gourlay, Winter & Leeming

ORDER OF SERVICE

NATIONAL ANTHEM—"God Save the King."

God save our lord the King,
Long live our noble King,
God save the King;
Send him victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us
God save the King.

SCRIPTURE READING.

All—Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which, according to His abundant mercy, hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation, ready to be revealed in the last time.—*1 Peter 1: 3, 4, 5.*

HYMN NO. 1—"How Firm a Foundation"

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,
Is laid for your faith in his excellent word!
What more can he say than to you he hath said,
To you, who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

"Fear not, I am with thee; oh, be not dismayed!
For I am thy God, I will still give thee aid;
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,
Upheld by my gracious, omnipotent hand.

"When through the deep waters I call thee to go,
The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;
For I will be with thee thy trials to bless,
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress."

PRAYER

RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING

Chairman — Behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream saying: Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary, thy wife; for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost. And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name Jesus, for he shall save his people from their sins.—*Matt. 1: 20-21.*

Men and Boys—The angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee named Nazareth, to a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph of the house of David, and the virgin's name was Mary.—*Luke 1: 26-27.*

Women and Girls—And Mary said, My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

Pastors and Teachers—Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king.—*Matt. 2: 1.*

And there were in the same country, shepherds keeping watch over their flocks by night, and lo! the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them and they were sore afraid.—*Luke 2: 8-11.*

Women and Girls—And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people; for unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Saviour which is Christ the Lord.—*Luke 2: 13.*

All—And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God and saying; Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

HYMN NO. 2.—"Jesus Saves"

We have heard the joyful sound:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
Spread the tidings all around:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
Bear the news to every land,
Climb the steeps and cross the waves;
Onward!—'tis our Lord's command:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves!

Waft it on the rolling tide:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
Tell to sinners far and wide:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves!
Sing, ye islands of the sea,
Echo back, ye ocean caves;
Earth shall keep her jubilee:
Jesus saves! Jesus saves.

RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING

Chairman—And Jesus, being full of the Holy Ghost, returned from Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness; being forty days tempted of the devil.—*Luke 4: 1-2.*

Pastors—Seeing then that we have a great High Priest that is passed into the heavens—Jesus, the Son of God—let us hold fast our profession, for we have not an High Priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities, but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.—*Heb. 4: 14-16.*

All—Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

HYMN NO. 3.—"When Times of Temptation"

When times of temptation bring sadness and gloom,
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord;
The last of earth's treasures borne out to the tomb,
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord.
This earth hath no sorrow for to-day or to-morrow
But Jesus hath known it and felt long ago,
And when it comes o'er me, and I'm tempted so sorely,
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord.

CHORUS

I will tell it to Jesus, to Jesus, my Lord,
I will tell it to Jesus, I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord.

When out on the hill-tops, away from all sin,
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord;
When joyous and happy the sunshine within,
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord.
To know I'm forgiven is a foretaste of heaven,
And Jesus is dearer to me than before,
Such peacefulness fills me, such an ecstasy thrills
I will tell it to Jesus, my Lord. [me,

RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING

Chairman—For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared unto all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously and godly in this present world, looking for that blessed hope and the glorious appearance of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us that he might redeem us from all iniquity.—*Titus 2 : 11-14.*

All—Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold ; but with the precious blood of Christ.—*1 Peter 1 : 18-19.*
For by grace are ye saved through faith, and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God.—*Eph. 2 : 8.*

HYMN NO. 4—"I know not why God's wondrous grace"

I know not why God's wondrous grace
To me he hath made known,
Nor why—unworthy of such love—
Redeemed me for his own.

CHORUS

But "I know whom I have believed,
And am persuaded that he is able
To keep that which I've committed
Unto him against that day."

I know not how this saving faith
To me he did impart,
Nor how believing in his word
Wrought peace within my heart.

I know not what of good or ill
May be reserved for me,
Of weary ways or golden days,
Before his face I see.

I know not when my Lord may come,
At night or noon-day fair,
Nor when I'll walk the vale with him,
Or, "meet him in the air."

CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS

PATRIOTIC SONG, NO. 5, "Greeting to the King"
—*H. H. Godfrey.*

Now salute we the standard that floats to the breeze ;
'Tis the emblem of the free ;
And salute we proud Edward, our lord and our King,
For a mighty prince is he ;
And salute we the lads of our dear Canadian land,
Who were bred 'neath the Maple Tree ;
They will stand for his name, and will fight for his fame—
No more loyal sons has he.

CHORUS

O, here they come, yes, here they come !
To the sound of the fife and drum.
O, the gallant sons of Canada
Would serve the King—dare anything—
For they're loyal every one of them,
And no foe shall make them quail ;
Yes ! the gallant sons of Canada
Would fight for him, would die for him,
And would fly to defend King and flag to the end,
At the sound of the fife and drum.

We rejoice in the tales of the brave days of old,
In the Britons' martial lore,
And what they accomplished again and again,
Why, our boys can do once more ;
For they swear by their King and their dear old Motherland,
Whence our ancestors sailed of yore ;
Let the King say the word, they will spring to the sword,
They are Britons to the core.

Full great was Victoria and blest was her reign ;
May thy course like hers be cast,
Avoiding offence, but prepared to defend
All the glories of the past.
But if foes should assail thee in numbers far too great,
Thou hast sons far across the sea
Who would fly to defend King and flag to the end,
They were bred 'neath the Maple Tree.

HYMN NO. 6—"O God of Bethel"

O God of Bethel, by whose hand
Thy people still are fed ;
Who through this weary pilgrimage
Hast all our fathers led :

Our vows, our prayers, we now present
Before thy throne of grace ;
God of our fathers, be the God
Of their succeeding race !

Oh, spread thy covering wings around,
Till all our wanderings cease,
And at our Father's loved abode
Our souls arrive in peace !

Such blessings from thy gracious hand
Our humble prayers implore ;
And thou shalt be our chosen God,
And portion evermore.

HYMN NO. 7—"God be with you"

God be with you till we meet again ;
By his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you ;
God be with you till we meet again.

CHORUS

Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus' feet ;
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again ;
'Neath his wings securely hide you ;
Daily manna still divide you ;
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
When life's perils thick confound you ;
Put his arms unfailing round you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
Keep love's banner floating o'er you ;
Smite death's threatening wave before you,
God be with you till we meet again.

REPORTS

OF

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OF TORONTO AND VICINITY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL 30TH, 1901

SCHOOL	SUPERINTENDENT	Number of Officers, Teachers, and Scholars.		Home Dept.	Money raised for all purposes
		On Roll	Av'ge Att'nce		
Annette st., Toronto Junc....	Dr. G. S. Martin...	423	321	.....	$ 345 52
Agnes street.....	A. Snuggs.....	306	202	.....	272 00
Avenue road.....	W. K. Doherty.....	410	257	.....	298 00
Broadway Tabernacle.....	N. F. Caswell.....	944	610	57	1201 00
Bathurst street.....	J. R. L. Starr.....	605	326	75	223 49
Berkeley street.....	E. Coatsworth, jr...	600	388	.....	455 93
Berean.....	H. E. Hurd.....	398	350	100	516 00
Central.....	A. R. Williams.....	630	429	134	1092 32
Central Mission, Centre ave.	W. J. Hanna.....	70	55	.....	40 00
Carlton street.....	Jas. Acton.....	535	305	135	583 00
Centennial.....	Geo. McFarlane....	327	252	.....	170 55
Clinton street.....	jas. E. Roberts....	619	347	.....	331 00
Don Mills.....	Robert J. McLean..	132	101	.....	67 00
Davisville.....	Jos. S. Davis.....	159	119	.....	124 00
Davenport.....	Thos. Chapman....	252	192	.....	147 45
Dunn avenue.....	W. F. Mountain....	1064	651	150	2154 31
Elm street.....	F. T. Proctor.....	343	256	.....	315 00
Euclid avenue.....	Miss Newton.....	675	509	.....	714 14
Epworth.....	J. R. Hoidge.....	183	129	.....	145 88
Eglinton.....	S. J. Douglas.....	188	132	12	302 09
Fred Victor Mission.....	G. H. Parkes.....	204	117	.....	58 25
Gerrard street.....	C. H. C. Fortner...	468	317	.....	586 45
Hope, East Toronto.....	W. Costain.....	220	138	.....	137 00
King street.....	A. W. Baunister....	253	192	7	314 95
Metropolitan.....	A. W. Carrick.....	662	372	235	540 20
Mimico.....	A. H. Parker.....	137	86	.....	130 09
New Richmond.....	S. Corrigan.....	359	271	.....	1005 00
Parliament street.....	H. C. Hocken.....	500	443	.....	471 94
Perth avenue.....	G. F. Scott.....	149	108	.....	122 00
Queen street west.....	A. Ogden.....	824	420	.....	1015 00
Queen street east.....	Geo. Rossitor.....	160	113	.....	140 00
Sherbourne street.....	J. W. Flavelle.....	582	412	70	716 19
Simpson avenue.....	W. A. Mahaffy.....	307	210	.....	321 43
St. Albans.....	S. H. Moore.....	415	326	.....	335 84
St. Clarens avenue.....	W. T. Stone.....	278	185	.....	175 00
Trinity.....	Ambrose Kent.....	628	428	.....	431 00
Wesley.....	F. Hunnisett.....	1330	801	268	794 93
Woodgreen.....	E. Jenkinson.....	563	467	12	467 77
Westmoreland avenue.....	T. J. Sproule.....	351	232	.....	217 73
Yonge street.....	E. Martin.....	527	353	.....	481 00
Zion.....	J. Henderson.....	122	83	.....	79 43
		17,892	12,007	1,255	$18,039 70